

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re: Patent Application of John P. Blasko.

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Appln. No.: 09/742,527 : Examiner: RETTA, Yehdega
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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTOMATICALLY MANAGING AVAIL
INVENTORY DATA AND AVAIL PRICING

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NOTIFICATION OF CHANGE OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS

The above-identified patent application ("the Application") was properly filed as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. 1.27. The Application was initially entitled to Small Entity status since the assignee, **Expanse Networks, Inc.**, was a small business concern under 37 C.F.R. 1.27(a)(2). On September 17, 2004, the Application was assigned to **Prime Research Alliance E., Inc.**, which does not qualify for Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.27.

Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests **that the above-identified application be changed to large entity status.**

Respectfully submitted,

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